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For: **Method Using a New Calibrator and a Device and Test Kit Including the Calibrator**

REQUEST FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

BOX Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

Submitted herewith is an Amendment in response to the Official Action dated April 10, 2002. Applicants request a two month extension of time to file the Amendment, extending the deadline from July 10, 2002 to September 10, 2002. The government fee of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the extension is enclosed herewith by check.

Respectfully submitted,

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